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We will learn about free standing structures and design, build and evaluate our own model home for a fairy tale character to live in.

ART

We will practise our skills of colour-mixing, painting and collage using shape & colour. We will look at the work of the artists Kandinsky, Herbin and Klee.

SCIENCE

We will learn to identify materials and their properties and discover how the shapes of solid objects made from some materials can be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching. We will learn to compare the suitability of a variety of everyday materials, including wood, metal, plastic, glass, brick, rock, paper and cardboard for particular uses. We will develop or working scientifically skills throughout the term. We will also observe changes across the four seasons and observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies.

GEOGRAPHY

We will learn to name, locate and identify the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas. We will develop our geographical vocabulary to describe places.

HISTORY

We will be working to develop our knowledge and understanding of history by using a range of sources, asking questions and understanding how national life has changed because of these events. We will learn about events beyond living memory such as The Great Fire of London.

The Big City

YEAR 1/2

AUTUMN TERM 2024

MUSIC

We will use our voices expressively and creatively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes. We will learn to perform a song we have learnt and say how we feel about it.

PE

We will learn gymnastics skills and game skills including how to work with others. We will participate in Golden Mile across the term.

RE

We will explore the question:
What does it mean to be a person of the Christian faith?

ENGLISH

We will explore a variety of different text types this term that will include: Fairy Tales, poems and non-chronological reports. We will also develop our skills in phonics, spelling and grammar.

MATHS

We will learn about place value, addition and subtraction and shape. We will embed fluency, reasoning and problem-solving into to our learning across the term.

COMPUTING

We will learn about e-safety and will use technology safely and respectfully, keeping personal information private and know where to go for help and support when we have a concern. We will learn to use Purple Mash including keeping login information secure. We will learn what an algorithm is, then create and debug algorithms. We will learn to use technology to create musical digital content.